

Announcement

The
First National Bank of Torrance
Announces

THE OPENING OF A FULLY EQUIPPED
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JAMES L. KING HAS BEEN PLACED IN
CHARGE

This Department is for your use and Convenience

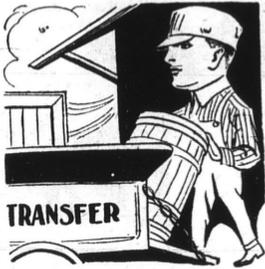
SERVICE COURTESY
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TITLE SEARCHES

First National Bank
OF TORRANCE

CHEVROLET—NEW MODEL—\$6 25, f.o.b. Factory
Timken Bearings; Spiral Gear Rear Axle; Thread Rubber Battery
MANY OTHER IMPROVEMENTS.
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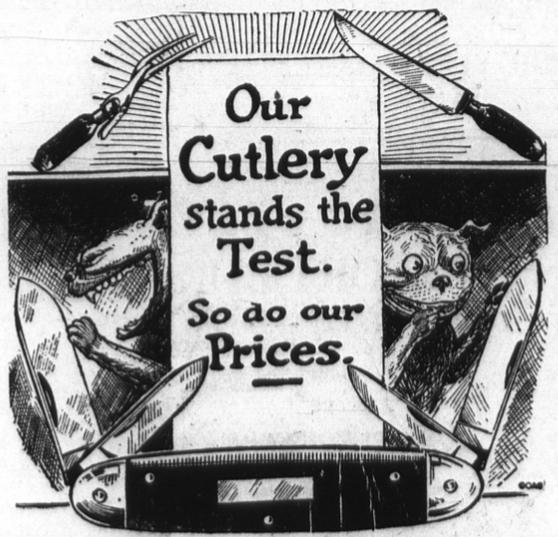


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SHOE REPAIRING
In Torrance
My Desire Is to Please You
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Our
Cutlery
stands the
Test.

So do our
Prices.

—Have you ever thought of the energy you have wasted on poor tools, hardware and cutlery?
—Turn over a new leaf. Throw away your worn-out things. Come in and buy what you need. The investment will pay you. You will do your work better. It will take less effort and time.
—While in our store look around at the many new ideas in modern hardware. These labor-savers save labor. Our prices are fair and square. Our hardware wears.

PAXMAN'S
2 STORES

TORRANCE

LOMITA

A Popular Tire at a Popular Price

"For a considerable time owners of Fords and other small cars have been seeking a quality tire at a moderate price," said Charles M. Smith, local distributor of Samson Tires in Lomita, "and since the introduction of the popular priced 'S-O-S', Samson-built 30x3 1/2 size, small car owners who hastened to equip with 'S-O-S' tires claim that they have found in this tire, an economical solution of their tire problems.

"The 'S-O-S' is a Samson-built tire. As its name implies, it was built in response to an urgent call from Samson dealers, who in turn reflected the demand of small car owners for a tire of Samson reputation, and one that would sell at a price in conformity with the popular cry for a low first cost tire of high grade.

"Samson engineers answered the call by building the 'S-O-S' tire, in which every economy was used, but nothing was slighted to make it a big-vigorous, long-wearing, non-skid product to stand up under hard service. Mileage was built into the tire and at the same time manufacturing costs were held down to a minimum so that the retail price would be within the reach of every buyer. That the builders of this tire figured rightly in their deductions is shown by the demand for the 'S-O-S' line, which in no way supplants the heavier Samson tire, but rather augments the line, and adds a type of tire not manufactured heretofore.

"As more than 60% of all auto registrations are Fords and other small cars, the 'S-O-S' Fabrics at \$10.65 and Cords at \$13.50 will be the means of saving the motorists of the west hundreds of thousands of dollars in tire replacements.

"The Samson Tire & Rubber Corporation, which is the first successful cord tire manufacturer on the Pacific Coast, has reached its enviable position through a fixed determination to build only tires of great merit regardless of price. It has adhered to a standard of high quality in its Super-Size Cord line, which has not varied regardless of any prevailing conditions or tendencies of other tire manufacturers to 'cheapen and lower the grade of their product.

"That this quality standard is correct, is borne out by the fact," concluded Mr. Smith, "that the Samson plant is running day and night, making 'S-O-S' and Samson Cords, the demand for the latter being on a tremendous scale, indicating that a large number of motorists are satisfied with nothing less than the best in cord tires."

WASTE IN INDUSTRIES.

W. A. Durgin, assistant to Secretary of Commerce Hoover, says that a chief source of industrial waste is "the universal prevalence of enormously excessive varieties of goods." He cited a number of striking illustrations. There are 1,000,000 varieties of sizes, styles and kinds of shoes made in the United States; 6,964 axes; 7,362 of fire-arm cartridges; 289 of American flags. The waste in six leading industries was placed at 40 per cent.

In the Future.

A California philosopher expresses the hope that in his next incarnation he shall be half Irish and half Hebrew. "For," he says, "the Irishman is happy as long as he has a dollar, and the Hebrew always has it."—Boston Transcript.

WATER AND POWER ACT UNPOPULAR

Supervisors of Southern California counties returning from the convention of supervisors just concluded at Eureka are finding a great deal of amusement in the unhappy plight of sponsors of the Water and Power Act who endeavored to have the convention take favorable action on the measure.

Instead of getting a resolution through, these supporters of the half-billion dollar Water and Power Act were turned down cold after the supervisors in a private poll discovered that of 160 delegates present, 132 were against the Act.

Thus the well laid plans of the proponents of the Water and Power Act proved a boomerang that will have far-reaching effect. John F. Mullin, a supervisor of Alameda County, who made the poll, said:

"Nobody knows better than the supervisors that this is no time for the presentation of a measure that carries such a tremendous burden of taxation. While the Water and Power experiment was going on, taxes would be going up because there would be no returns and every county would have to bear its share.

"Money is needed to build and widen highways, for improving our hospital facilities and for many other necessities of government. The Water and Power Act would make it harder to get money for these essential needs, and that is why most supervisors are going to help kill it at the polls."

Hides Choice Exhibit From View of Crowd

Here's a good one on Lou Johnson the live-wire secretary of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.

Among the exhibits of the various industries of that thriving city, committed to his care for display in the chamber of commerce tent at the Torrance fair were several sections of oil pipe and tools manufactured by the Regan Company of that city. This concern makes a specialty of being able to recover oil pipe that cannot be raised to the surface by ordinary means and the officials of the company were especially proud of a specimen of pipe recovered at a great depth by this process and which they included in the exhibit. On receipt of the latter Johnson saw it was badly mutilated and thinking the truck driver that brought it from Wilmington to Torrance had been careless in its handling, carefully hid the apparently damaged length of pipe behind the others where it could not be seen. There it remained until yesterday when the Regan superintendent called at the Wilmington booth, missed the damaged pipe, and was astonished to learn that Johnson had thought he was doing the company a good turn by hiding their choice exhibit from public view.

Old Age.

"Don't kick about your coffee. You may be old and weak yourself, some day."—Sign in a restaurant in Marion, Ohio.

Outing.

Well, how did you enjoy your outing?"
"Seasick nearly all the time."
"Sort of an inside-outing, eh?"

GOOD PLUMBING IN THE KITCHEN

is a real necessity, as you discover every time you prepare a meal. Let us install in your kitchen our modern, up-to-date porcelain finished sink and drain and you will have equipment that will be a pleasure to work with.



MODERN PLUMBING CO.
C. W. STEVENS, Prop.

LOMITA, CAL.



OUR BREAD LOOKS
SO GOOD

you'll hate to put in the bread box without tasting it. You cannot be blamed because the rich golden brown crust, the snow white middle certainly are nice to look at. And you'll not be disappointed in the eating. Our bread tastes even better than it looks.

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Free Parking
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Free Battery Service
LOMITA

The Funeral Home

is not only one of the new institutions of Lomita, but its erection was in line with modern thought and modern ideas in the care and disposition of the human dead.

One of the Many Features

of our complete service is the use of our homelike and pleasant FUNERAL PARLORS. Surrounded as it is with every convenience, a service conducted from here is complete in every detail.

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LOMITA, CALIF.

Gasoline News

Did You Know That Jimmy Murphy

had American air from an American health resort compressed in air bottles and shipped to France to inflate his tires with, but he also took over Richfield gasoline and came back the winner of the Grand Prix de France, an international classic contested by the best cars and equipment the World has yet produced. Well, Lomita is some health resort, too. Drive in and let us inflate your tires and fill your tank with either Richfield or Propello Gasoline.

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Opposite Brethern Street

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Knowledge — Experience — Ability

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